



County of San Diego

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PROPERTY OWNER RESPONSIBILITY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Proposed locations for subsurface work:

Property Address:

Assessor's Parcel Number (APN):

I, _____, owner of the property/properties listed above, give my permission to _____ (consulting company, contractor) to conduct the following work at the locations stated above.

☐ Install _____ monitoring wells ☐ Destroy _____ monitoring wells ☐ Drill _____ soil borings

The person who causes to have a monitoring well installed or an existing well destroyed on this property is defined as the *Responsible Party*. San Diego County Code, Section 67.424, states that: "Monitoring wells shall be maintained to meet construction or destruction standards. If a monitoring well does not meet construction or destruction standards, the *Responsible Party* must repair, reconstruct or destroy the monitoring well so it meets the standards. The property owner, if different than the *Responsible Party*, must take the necessary actions to repair, reconstruct or destroy the monitoring well so it meets the standards if the *Responsible Party* does not complete the necessary actions."

A soil boring is used specifically to sample soil and, because there are construction and destruction standards, is included in the definition of a monitoring well even though no maintenance is required. These standards are outlined in the County of San Diego Site Assessment and Mitigation (SAM) Manual and the State of California Well Standards Bulletin 74-90.

I understand that _____ (registered professional) of _____ (consulting company) and authorized signer for _____ (drilling company) have submitted a signed application to the Department of Environmental Health in which they have agreed to complete the above-stated work according the requirements of the current SAM Manual, all ordinances and laws of the County of San Diego and the State of California pertaining to well/boring construction and destruction.

I also understand that if either the registered professional and/or the licensed drilling company should fail in their responsibilities as defined in San Diego County Code, Section 67.424, I, as the property owner, must take the necessary actions to repair, reconstruct or destroy the monitoring well so it meets the standards if the Responsible Party does not complete the necessary actions.

The scope of work covered by this Acknowledgement will expire one year from the date of the property owner's signature below. If an extension of time beyond one year is required to complete the proposed drilling activities or additional work is proposed, a new Property Owner Responsibility Agreement will be required.

Property Owner Signature: _____ Date: _____

Print Name: _____ Title: _____

Company: _____

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Mailing Address: _____